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Our Case No. 5404/16

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kazuaki Matsumoto et al.

Serial No. 10/031,210

Filing Date: January 11, 2002

For FLAME RETARDANT AND  
FLAME-RETARDANT RESIN  
COMPOSITION

Examiner: Not Assigned

Group Art Unit No. Not Assigned

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# PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORS' NAMES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.182

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attn: Office of Petitions

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification dated August 2, 2002, a copy of which is enclosed, Applicants, Yoshiki (sic) Ono and Ryuji (sic) Yoshida, hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 to change those names to Yoshitaka Ono and Tatsushi Yoshida, respectively, in the PCT application from which the subject

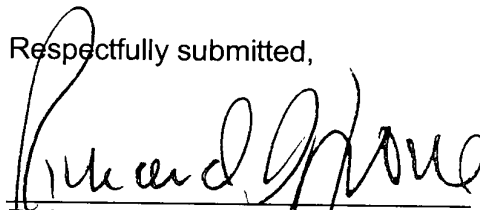
application was nationalized. As attested to in the attached statements of these two inventors:

1. each of these two inventors is, in fact, a co-inventor of the invention in Flame Retardant and Flame Retardant Resin disclosed in PCT application PCT/JP01/03939 filed in Japan on May 11, 2001;
2. the first name of Yoshikata Ono, which was in Japanese characters in the priority Japanese application upon which the PCT application was based, was incorrectly translated to Yoshiki Ono when the aforementioned PCT application was filed and, as a result, the corresponding name is incorrect in the PCT application;
3. the first name of Tatsushi Yoshida, which was in Japanese characters on the priority Japanese application upon which the PCT application was based, was incorrectly translated to Ryuji Yoshida when the aforementioned PCT application was filed and, as a result, the corresponding name is incorrect in the PCT application;
4. each of these two inventors has executed and, on May 22, 2002, filed a Declaration in the subject application, which Declaration sets out their correct names.

Whereby, the facts being as hereinbefore set out, it is respectfully submitted that this Petition should be granted, that the record in the subject application should be corrected to identify the second and third listed inventors as Yoshitaka Ono and Tatsushi Yoshida, respectively, and that the Declaration previously submitted by them be accepted. In the event the Declaration filed on May 22, 2002, is unacceptable as premature, or for some other reason, applicants coincidentally petition for leave to file a Supplemental Declaration containing the correct names of all three inventors.

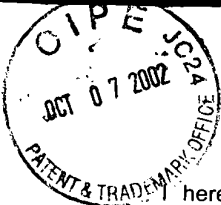
Please charge the petition fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard G. Lione", written over a horizontal line.

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### STATEMENT OF YOSHITAKA ONO IN SUPPORT OF PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORS' NAMES

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Yoshitaka Ono hereby states that:

1. On May 11, 2000, Japanese application 2000/138974 was filed in Japan correctly naming him as a co-inventor;

2. On May 11, 2001, PCT application No. PCT/JP01/03939 was filed in the Japanese Patent Office, claiming priority from Japanese Application No. 2000/138974 but erroneously listing his name as Yoshiki Ono, the error presumably occurring because of an incorrect translation of Japanese characters; and

3. He is, in fact, a co-inventor of the invention described and claimed in the above-identified application, and the erroneous spelling of his name in the priority PCT application occurred without any intent to deceive on his part.

The foregoing statements are true, to the best of his knowledge.

Date: SEP. 10. 2002

Yoshitaka Ono  
Yoshitaka Ono

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1. On May 11, 2000, Japanese application 2000/138974 was filed in Japan correctly naming him as a co-inventor;

2. On May 11, 2001, PCT application No. PCT/JP01/03939 was filed in the Japanese Patent Office, claiming priority from Japanese Application No. 2000/138974 but erroneously listing his name as Ryuji Yoshida, the error presumably occurring because of an incorrect translation of Japanese characters; and

3. He is, in fact, a co-inventor of the invention described and claimed in the above-identified application, and the erroneous spelling of his name in the priority PCT application occurred without any intent to deceive on his part.

The foregoing statements are true, to the best of his knowledge.

Date: SEP. 10. 2002

Tatsushi Yoshida  
Tatsushi Yoshida